

A JOINT RESOLUTION

PROPOSING an ~~A~~ Amendment to Article XVI,
Constitution of the State of
Texas, relating to the terms
of office of directors of con-
servation and reclamation
districts.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be
amended by adding a new ~~Section~~ ^{Section} to read as follows:

"~~Sec.~~ ^{Section} 30c. (a) The ~~duration~~ ^{term} of office of persons serving on the
governing body of a political subdivision of the state created to further the
purposes of Section 52, Article III, or Section 59, Article XVI, of this
Constitution, shall never exceed six years.

"(b) Statutory provisions enacted before the first Tuesday after the
first Monday in November, 1966, relating to the terms of office of
governing bodies of political subdivisions created to further the purposes
of Section 52, Article III, or Section 59, Article XVI, are validated, so
long as the provisions do not provide for a term of office which exceeds
six years."

Sec. 2. The foregoing ~~Constitutional~~ ^{Constitutional} Amendment shall be submitted
to a vote of the qualified electors of this ~~State~~ ^{State} at an election to be held on
the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1966, at which
election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the ~~Constitutional~~ ^{Constitutional} Amendment changing the maximum term of
office of directors of conservation and reclamation districts from two to
six years.

"AGAINST the ~~Constitutional~~ ^{Constitutional} Amendment changing the maximum term
of office of directors of conservation and reclamation districts from two
to six years."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary
proclamation for the election and this ~~Amendment~~ ^{Amendment} shall be published in the
manner and for the length of time required by the ~~Constitution~~ ^{Constitution} and ~~Laws~~ ^{Laws} of
this ~~State~~ ^{State}.

FORM B

(For favorable reports on bills where committee amendments other than "committee substitutes" are recommended; and for resolutions where committee amendments, including complete substitutes, are recommended.)

COMMITTEE REPORT

Date 3-15-65,

HON. BEN BARNES

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir:

We, your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to whom was

referred H. J. R. No. 21, have had the same under consideration

and beg to report back with recommendation that it do pass, as amended, and be printed.


Chairman.

(In the case of simple and concurrent resolutions the words "and be printed" should be stricken out since resolutions are printed in the Journal when they are first introduced.)

The word "not" should be inserted before "printed" only in case of a local bill reported favorably with amendments and ordered not printed, which is customary for local bills.)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

NO. 1

Heil

Amend H.J.R # 21
by striking the word *duration* in
Section 1 line 20 and adding in lieu
~~the~~ the word *terms*

DATE MAR 30 1965

READ AND ADOPTED

Dorothy Hallman
CHIEF CLERK
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

J.R.

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By: Clayton

H. J. R. No. 21

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Austin, Texas

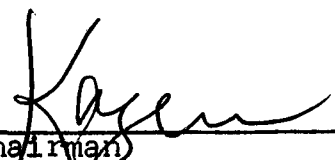
May 19, 1965

Hon. Preston Smith

President of the Senate

Sir:

We, your Committee on Constitutional Amendments,
to which was referred HJR B. No. 21, have had the same under
consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the
Senate with the recommendation that it do _____
pass _____ and be _____ printed.


Chairman

C.A.S.

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Lieutenant Governor
President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that H. J. R. No. 21 was adopted by the House on March 30, 1965, by the following vote: Yeas 137, Nays 9.

Chief Clerk of the House

I hereby certify that H. J. R. No. 21 was passed by the Senate on May 20, 1965, by the following vote: Yeas 26, Nays 4.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

6-17-65

Date

Governor

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
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JUN 21 1965

Crawford C. Martin
Secretary of State

H. J. R. No. 21 By Clayton

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FILED JAN 19 1965

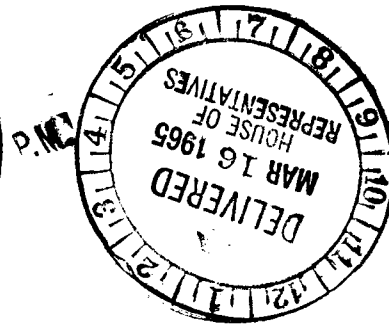
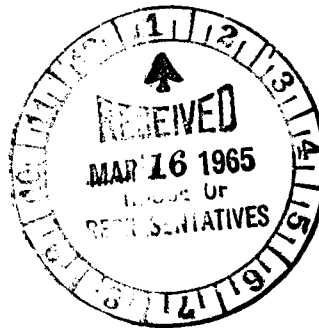
FEB 1 1965

READ 1ST TIME

AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON

Constitutional Amendments

MAR 16 1965 REPORTED FAVORABLY AS AMENDED SENT TO PRINTER



MAR 23 1965

*Postponed to 3-30-65,
at 11:00 a.m.*

Dorothy Hallman

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

MAR 30 1965

READ SECOND

TIME Amended AND

ORDERED ENGROSSED

*finally adopted, by vote
of 137 ayes, 5 noes.*

Dorothy Hallman

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

MAR 16 1965 RETURNED FROM PRINTER. SENT TO SPEAKER

MAR 30 1965 SENT TO ENGROSSING CLERK.

By: Clayton

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- 1-19-65 Filed.
- 2- 1-65 Read first time and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.
- 3-16-65 Reported favorably as amended, sent to printer.
- 3-16-65 Returned from printer, sent to Speaker.
- 3-23-65 Postponed to 3-30-65 at 11:00 a.m.
- 3-30-65 Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed and adopted by the following vote: Yeas 137, Nays 5.

Dorothy Hallman
Chief Clerk, H. of R.

3-30-65 Sent to Engrossing Clerk.

3-30-65 Engrossed.

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Engrossing Clerk, H. of R.

APR 1 1965

IN THE SENATE

Received from
the House.

MAR 31 1965 RETURNED FROM ENGROSSING

MAR 31 1965 SENT TO THE SENATE

APR 1 1965

Read first time
and referred to Committee
on Constitutional Amendments

MAY 20 1965

Senate Rule 32 and
Constitutional Rule (Sec. 32, Art. III)
suspended by a vote of 26 yeas,
4 nays, to place bill on third
reading and final passage.

MAY 19 1965

Reported Favorably.

MAY 20 1965

READ THIRD TIME AND PASSED
BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

Yeas 26 Nays 4

Charles Schnabel
Secretary of the Senate

MAY 20 1965

Regular order of business sus-
pended by unanimous consent to
permit consideration.

MAY 20 1965

READ SECOND TIME,

AND PASSED TO THIRD READING.

MAY 21 1965

SENT TO HOUSE

MAY 21 1965

RETURNED FROM SENATE

Dorothy Hallman

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

MAY 21 1965 SENT TO ENROLLING CLERK